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VIA ECF

Hon. Vernon S. Broderick, U.S.D.J.
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

**Re: Stanley Johnson v. M.A.C. Cosmetics Inc.
et ano.
Case No.: 18-CV-09157 (VSB) (SN)**

Dear Judge Broderick:


This firm represents Defendants M.A.C. Cosmetics Inc. and The Estée Lauder Companies Inc. (together, "Defendants") in connection with the above-referenced matter.

We write jointly with counsel for Plaintiff Stanley Johnson and the opt-in plaintiffs (together, "Plaintiffs") to inform the Court that the parties have reached an agreement in principle to settle this matter following good faith and arm's length settlement negotiations at a November 10, 2020 private mediation session. The parties have fully executed a term sheet specifying the general contours of the proposed settlement.

The parties respectfully request that the Court hold Defendants' current December 1, 2020 deadline to file opposition papers to Plaintiffs' conditional certification motion, as well as Plaintiffs' current December 15, 2020 deadline to file their reply brief in abeyance while the parties negotiate and execute a full form settlement agreement to submit for the Court's review.

This is the third request for a stay of the current briefing deadlines.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter. Please let us know if you have any questions or require any further information.

**APPLICATION GRANTED
SO ORDERED** 
VERNON S. BRODERICK
U.S.D.J. 11/16/2020

November 13, 2020 The parties are directed to submit a joint status letter on or before December 16, 2020 providing an update on the progress of settlement negotiations.



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Respectfully submitted,
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s/Wendy J. Mellk
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cc: All parties (via ECF)